

# AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

ALBERTA  
DEPARTMENT OF  
AGRICULTURE

STATISTICS BRANCH

IN COOPERATION WITH

STATISTICS CANADA

Sheep Numbers #2,  
September 24, 1975.

## ESTIMATED NUMBER OF SHEEP ON FARMS IN ALBERTA BY CENSUS DIVISION, JULY 1, 1974 AND 1975

Census Division	Sheep One Year & Over		Lambs Under One Year	
	1974	1975	1974	1975
	- thousand head -			
1		3.8		3.6
2		16.1		15.3
3		28.3		26.8
4		2.0		1.8
5		6.0		5.7
6		10.5		10.0
7		2.8		2.7
8		10.6		10.1
9		0.1		0.1
10		4.7		4.5
11		7.6		7.2
12		3.8		3.5
13		10.0		9.5
14		1.9		1.8
15		7.8		7.4
Province	124.0	116.0	119.0	110.0

	Total Sheep and Lambs		
	1974	1975	1975 as % 1974
	- thousand head -		
1		7.4	
2		31.4	
3		55.1	
4		3.8	
5		11.7	
6		20.5	
7		5.5	
8		20.7	
9		0.2	
10		9.2	
11		14.8	
12		7.3	
13		19.5	
14		3.7	
15		15.2	
Province	243.0	226.0	93.0

Note: The usual June 1 survey date was changed to July 1 in 1975. Therefore, comparable area breakdowns for 1974 are not available at this time.

# AGRICULTURAL REPORTING AREAS





The total number of sheep and lambs on farms in Alberta at July 1, 1975 is estimated at 226,000 head, down 7 per cent from a year earlier.

Sheep and lamb numbers in Canada are estimated at 702,300, down 8 per cent from 764,200 at July 1, 1974.

Estimated Number of Sheep on Farms in Canada  
July 1, 1974 and 1975

	Sheep One Year & Over		Lambs Under One Year	
	1974	1975	1974	1975
	- thousand head -			
Total East	178.9	158.0	141.3	124.3
Manitoba	17.0	15.0	12.0	11.0
Saskatchewan	66.0	60.0	57.0	57.0
Alberta	124.0	116.0	119.0	110.0
B.C.	26.0	26.0	23.0	25.0
Total West	233.0	217.0	211.0	203.0
TOTAL CANADA	411.9	375.0	352.3	327.3

	Total Sheep and Lambs		
	1974	1975	1975 as % 1974
	- thousand head -		
Total East	320.2	282.3	88.2
Manitoba	29.0	26.0	89.7
Saskatchewan	123.0	117.0	95.1
Alberta	243.0	226.0	93.0
B.C.	49.0	51.0	104.1
Total West	444.0	420.0	94.6
TOTAL CANADA	764.2	702.3	91.9

The total number of sheep and goats in the district in 1975 is estimated at 110,000 head, down from 120,000 in 1974. This is due to a combination of factors, including a reduction in the number of animals in the district and a reduction in the number of animals in the district.

Estimated number of sheep and goats in the district in 1975 and 1974

District	1975		1974	
	Sheep	Goats	Sheep	Goats
Adama	10,000	15,000	12,000	18,000
Arba Minch	8,000	12,000	10,000	15,000
Bahir Dar	15,000	20,000	18,000	25,000
Debre Berhan	12,000	18,000	15,000	22,000
Debre Tabor	10,000	15,000	12,000	18,000
Harar	5,000	8,000	6,000	10,000
Jimma	18,000	25,000	22,000	30,000
Kombolcha	10,000	15,000	12,000	18,000
Mekele	15,000	20,000	18,000	25,000
Shashamene	12,000	18,000	15,000	22,000
Totals	110,000	150,000	120,000	160,000



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Sheep Numbers #1,  
April 23, 1976.

## ESTIMATED NUMBER OF SHEEP ON FARMS IN ALBERTA BY CENSUS DIVISION, JANUARY 1, 1975 AND 1976

Census Division	Sheep One Year & Over		Lambs Under One Year	
	1975	1976	1975	1976
- thousand head -				
1	3.7	2.8	2.3	1.7
2	19.0	21.7	10.6	8.2
3	28.0	27.3	16.2	14.8
4	1.8	1.6	1.0	0.9
5	5.4	4.2	3.0	2.1
6	10.4	7.9	5.4	4.5
7	2.8	2.8	1.5	1.5
8	11.5	12.9	5.8	4.6
9	0.1	0.1	-	-
10	4.6	5.2	2.2	2.5
11	9.5	10.8	5.2	5.4
12	2.8	2.1	1.5	1.1
13	7.7	5.9	4.0	3.7
14	1.6	1.4	0.8	0.8
15	8.1	6.3	4.5	3.2
Province	117.0	113.0	64.0	55.0

### Total Sheep and Lambs

	1975	1976	1976 as % 1975
- thousand head -			
1	6.0	4.5	75.0
2	29.6	29.9	101.0
3	44.2	42.1	95.2
4	2.8	2.5	89.3
5	8.4	6.3	75.0
6	15.8	12.4	78.5
7	4.3	4.3	100.0
8	17.3	17.5	101.2
9	0.1	0.1	100.0
10	6.8	7.7	113.2
11	14.7	16.2	110.2
12	4.3	3.2	74.4
13	11.7	9.6	82.0
14	2.4	2.2	91.7
15	12.6	9.5	75.4
Province	181.0	168.0	92.8

There was an estimated 168,000 sheep and lambs on farms in Alberta at January 1, 1976. This is 7 per cent less than the 181,000 estimated to be on farms a year earlier.



Estimated Number of Sheep on Farms in Canada  
January 1, 1975 and 1976

	Sheep One Year & Over		Lambs Under One Year	
	1975	1976	1975	1976
- thousand head -				
Total East	165.7	163.7	48.1	38.3
Manitoba	17.0	15.0	4.5	4.0
Saskatchewan	66.0	59.0	25.0	24.0
Alberta	117.0	113.0	64.0	55.0
B.C.	25.0	25.0	9.0	7.5
Total West	225.0	212.0	102.5	90.5
TOTAL CANADA	390.7	375.7	150.6	128.8

	Total Sheep and Lambs		
	1975	1976	1976 as % 1975
- thousand head -			%
Total East	213.8	202.0	94.5
Manitoba	21.5	19.0	88.4
Saskatchewan	91.0	83.0	91.2
Alberta	181.0	168.0	92.8
B.C.	34.0	32.5	95.6
Total West	327.5	302.5	92.4
TOTAL CANADA	541.3	504.5	93.2

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Sheep Numbers #2.  
September 27, 1976.

## ESTIMATED NUMBER OF SHEEP ON FARMS IN ALBERTA BY CENSUS DIVISION, JULY 1, 1975 AND 1976

Census Division	Sheep One Year & Over		Lambs Under One Year	
	1975	1976	1975	1976
	- thousand head -			
1	3.8	4.3	3.6	4.2
2	16.1	14.7	15.3	13.5
3	28.3	26.5	26.8	24.5
4	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.7
5	6.0	5.2	5.7	4.8
6	10.5	8.3	10.0	7.8
7	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.6
8	10.6	8.3	10.1	7.7
9	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
10	4.7	5.2	4.5	4.8
11	7.6	6.2	7.2	5.3
12	3.8	4.1	3.5	3.7
13	10.0	9.1	9.5	8.7
14	1.9	2.1	1.8	1.9
15	7.8	8.3	7.4	7.7
Province	116.0	107.0	110.0	99.0

	Total Sheep and Lambs		
	1975	1976	1976 as % 1975
	- thousand head -		
1	7.4	8.5	114.8
2	31.4	28.2	89.8
3	55.1	51.0	92.6
4	3.8	3.6	94.7
5	11.7	10.0	85.5
6	20.5	16.1	78.5
7	5.5	5.3	96.4
8	20.7	16.0	77.3
9	0.2	0.2	100.0
10	9.2	10.0	108.7
11	14.8	11.5	77.7
12	7.3	7.8	106.8
13	19.5	17.8	91.3
14	3.7	4.0	108.1
15	15.2	16.0	105.3
Province	226.0	206.0	91.2

# CENSUS DIVISIONS





The total number of sheep and lambs on farms in Alberta at July 1, 1976 is estimated at 206,000 head, down 9 per cent from a year earlier.

Sheep and lamb numbers in Canada are estimated at 641,300, down 9 per cent from 702,600 at July 1, 1975.

Estimated Number of Sheep on Farms in Canada  
July 1, 1975 and 1976

	Sheep One Year & Over		Lambs Under One Year	
	1975	1976	1975	1976
	- thousand head -			
Total East	158.3	147.0	124.3	117.3
Manitoba	15.0	15.0	11.0	10.0
Saskatchewan	60.0	50.0	57.0	49.0
Alberta	116.0	107.0	110.0	99.0
B.C.	26.0	24.0	25.0	23.0
Total West	217.0	196.0	203.0	181.0
TOTAL CANADA	375.3	343.0	327.3	298.3

	Total Sheep and Lambs		
	1975	1976	1976 as % 1975
	- thousand head -		
Total East	282.6	264.3	93.5
Manitoba	26.0	25.0	96.2
Saskatchewan	117.0	99.0	84.6
Alberta	226.0	206.0	91.2
B.C.	51.0	47.0	92.2
Total West	420.0	377.0	89.8
TOTAL CANADA	702.6	641.3	91.3



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